A CONFIRMING RESOLUTION designating an "Economic Revitalization Area" under I.C. 6-1.1-12.1 for property commonly known as 6901 Ardmore Ave., Fort Wayne, Indiana 46804 (Poly Hi Solidur Division).

WHEREAS, Common Council has previously designated and declared by Confirming Resolution No. R-27-94 the following described property as an "Economic Revitalization Area" under Section 153.02 of the Municipal Code of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana of 1993, as amended and I.C. 6-1.1-12.1, to wit:

Attached hereto as "Exhibit A" as if a part herein; and

WHEREAS, Poly Hi Solidur submitted an application on March 22, 1994 to have such above described property designated by the City of Fort Wayne Common Council as an "Economic Revitalization Area"; and

WHEREAS, the Common Council did pass Resolution No. R-27-94 on May 11, 1994 with the intent of allowing Poly Hi Solidur to file a claim with the Allen County Auditor to receive an abatement on certain personal property taxes that may be assessed as a result of locating new manufacturing equipment at its facility located at 6901 Ardmore Ave., Fort Wayne, Indiana; and

WHEREAS, said manufacturing equipment was installed prior to the passage of Resolution No. R-27-94, but after the application for designation was submitted; and

WHEREAS, the Indiana State Board of Tax Commissioners reviewed the claim deduction and denied such claim due to the fact that it was installed prior to the area being declared and "Economic Revitalization Area".

WHEREAS, Poly Hi Solidur stated in both its "Economic
Revitalization Area Application" and "Statement of Benefits" form

that the estimated starting date would be March 1994; and

WHEREAS, the 109th Session of the Indiana General Assembly did enact Senate Enrolled Act No. 313 amending I.C. 6-1.1-12.1-1(b) effective July 1. 1995; and

WHEREAS, I.C. 6-1.1-12.1-1(b) allows a designating body's actions taken after February 1, 1991 and before July 1, 1995, in (1) designating an economic revitalization area; or (2) approving a statement of benefits or making required findings of fact after the initiation of the: (A) redevelopment; (B) installation of new manufacturing equipment; or © rehabilitation; for which the person desires to claim a deduction under I.C. 6-1.1-12-1 to be legal and valid.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE, INDIANA:

SECTION 1. That, the Resolution previously designating the above described property as an "Economic Revitalization Area" is again confirmed in all respects.

SECTION 2. That, it was the intent of the Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne to have the "Economic Revitalization Area" designation in place in time to allow Poly Hi Solidur to receive the deduction on personal property taxes for the claim filed in 1995.

SECTION 3. That, this Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and any and all necessary approval by the Mayor.

Member of Council

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY

J. Timothy McCaulay, City Attorney

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MEMORANDUM

TO:

Common Council Members

FROM:

Beth Neu, Director, Department of Economic Development

DATE:

October 23, 1995

SUBJECT:

Resolution for Poly Hi Solidur, allowing tax abatement credit for 1994

Address: 6901 Ardmore Ave.

Background

Poly Hi Solidur submitted an application for Economic Revitalization Area designation to the City of Fort Wayne on March 23, 1994. A confirming resolution so designating such property was passed by Common Council on May 5, 1994. However, the company installed the equipment at its Ardmore Avenue facility prior to the passage of the confirming resolution, but after submission of the application. The Indiana State Board of Tax Commissioners denied the credit when the company filed its application for deduction this year.

Effect of Passage of Tax Abatement

Will allow the company to receive the tax abatement as originally intended by Common Council

Effect of Non-Passage of Tax Abatement

Property tax savings will not be realized by the company.

Staff Recommendation

Since the company proceeded in good faith, and lacking any formal policy of Common Council in such matters, staff recommends approval of the attached amended resolution.

Admn.	Appr.	

DIGEST SHEET

TITLE OF ORDINANCE Confirming Resolution		
DEPARTMENT REQUESTING ORDINANCE Department of Economic Development		
SYNOPSIS OF ORDINANCE Poly Hi Solidur requested an Economic		
Revitalization Area designation in 1994 to allow them to receive tax		
abatement on new manufacturing equipment they would be moving to its		
Ardmore Ave. location from another state. Originally, City Council		
approved the designation, but the State Board of Tax Commissioners		
denied the credit when the company filed this year because the		
installation occurred prior to the passage of the confirming		
resolution. However, citing Senate Enrolled Act 313 which was passed		
by the Indiana General Assembly this year, Common Council has the		
authority to grant the tax abatement, as originally requested.		
EFFECT OF PASSAGE Will allow the company to receive the tax abatement		
as originally planned and comply with the demands of the Indiana State		
Board of Tax Commissioners.		
EFFECT OF NON-PASSAGE State Board of Tax Commissioners will deny the		
request and the company will lose the tax savings.		
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MONEY INVOLVED (DIRECT COSTS, EXPENDITURES, SAVINGS) Company will		
realize tax savings of approximately \$69,500.		
ASSIGNED TO COMMITTEE (PRESIDENT)Mark GiaQuinta		